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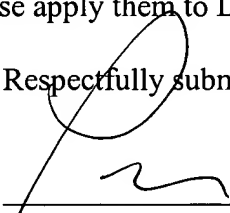
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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.136, applicant hereby petitions that the period for filing an Appeal Brief, after the filing of a Notice of Appeal on June 5, 2003, be extended for five months to and including January 5, 2004.

Enclosed is a check for \$2,010.00 for the fee required by 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(a). If there are any other charges or any credits, please apply them to Deposit Account No. 03-2095.

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